



**ARIZONA READY EDUCATION COUNCIL
K-20 EDUCATION FUNDING TASKFORCE**

**September 6, 2012 @ 7:30-9:30am
1700 W. Washington, 3rd Floor Conference Room
Phoenix, AZ 85007**

AGENDA

The Arizona Ready Education Council's K-20 Education Funding Taskforce will discuss and may take action on the following matters. Members will attend either in person or by telephone conference call. Public comment will be taken. The public will be allotted three minutes each to address the Taskforce during the Call to the Public section of the agenda.

Meeting Objectives:

- Update on recommendations for the Council
- Report & Discussion of ADE performance funding priorities
- Update on legislative agenda
- Discussion of workgroup progress and first meeting
- Update on ABEC student-weighted funding modeling

Vision: By 2020, Arizona will be home to the best students and the best schools in the nation.

Mission: To monitor progress towards Arizona's rigorous education goals and determine if reform strategies are improving student learning, and to ensure the fidelity of implementation of Arizona Ready.

Goals:

- Increase the percentage of third graders meeting state reading standards to 94% in 2020 from 70% in 2010;
- Increase the percentage of eighth graders achieving at or above basic on the National Assessment of Education Programs (NAEP) to 85% in 2020 from 67% in math and 68% in reading in 2010;
- Raise the high school graduation rate to 93% in 2020 from 73% in 2010; and
- Double the number of students receiving baccalaureate degrees to 36,000 per year.

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| 1. Call to Order, Welcome & Introductions | Dr. Craig Barrett |
| 2. Update & Discussion: Taskforce Recommendations | Dale Frost |
| 3. Report & Discussion: ADE Performance Funding Priorities | Stacey Morley |
| 4. Update & Discussion: Workgroup Process & First Meeting | Dale Frost |
| 5. Taskforce Comments | Taskforce Members |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Next Steps• 2012 Taskforce Meeting Schedule –<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ October 1○ November 1○ December 6 | |
| 6. Call to the Public | Dr. Craig Barrett |
| 7. Adjourn | Dr. Craig Barrett |

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